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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97 AND §1.98

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June 15, 2007

Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a copy of a Japanese Office Action, issued on February 6, 2007, in corresponding Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-357920. Also enclosed are Forms PTO/SB/08A&B, listing the enclosed documents.

To the extent that the enclosed documents are not in English, it is respectfully submitted that the requirements of 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) are satisfied by either an enclosed English language Abstract of the listed Japanese patent documents.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted subsequent to a first Office Action on the merits in the above-identified application, but prior to a

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Final Office Action or issuance of a Notice of Allowance, or issuance of any other action closing prosecution on the merits in the above-identified application.

Accordingly, the fee of \$180.00 is enclosed herewith.

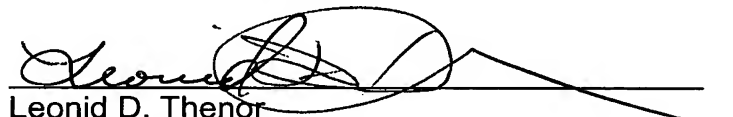
It is respectfully requested that this information disclosure statement be considered by the Examiner.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that all applicable requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98 have been satisfied, in connection with the present submission of the enclosed documents. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed documents, during examination of the above-identified application, is respectfully requested.

Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 520.43324X00), and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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